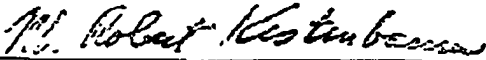


<b>PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)</b> <b>(Small Entity)</b>			Docket No. (O) 66762
In Re Application Of: <b>Hahn</b>			
Serial No. 09/402,731	Filing Date February 10, 2000	Examiner Erik Winakur	Group Art Unit 3736
Invention: <b>Diagnostic Apparatus for Determining the Remineralization Ability of Tissue</b>			<b>RECEIVED</b> <b>CENTRAL FAX CENTER</b>  <b>MAY 04 2004</b>
<u>TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:</u>			<b>OFFICIAL</b>
This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of <u>November 4, 2003</u> in the above-identified application. <span style="margin-left: 100px;"><i>Date</i></span>			
The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired): <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"><div><input type="checkbox"/> One month</div><div><input type="checkbox"/> Two months</div><div><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Three months</div><div><input type="checkbox"/> Four months</div><div><input type="checkbox"/> Five months</div></div> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; margin-top: 5px;"><div>from: <u>March 4, 2004</u> <span style="margin-left: 20px;"><i>Date</i></span></div><div>until: <u>May 4, 2004</u> <span style="margin-left: 20px;"><i>Date</i></span></div></div>			
A verified statement of small entity status as a small entity under 37 CFR 1.27: <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"><div><input type="checkbox"/> is enclosed.</div><div><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> has already been filed in this application.</div></div>			
The fee for the extension of time is <u>\$420</u> and is to be paid as follows: <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"><div><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A <u>2038</u> the amount of the fee is enclosed.</div><div><input type="checkbox"/> The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No.</div><div><input type="checkbox"/> If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No.</div></div>			
 <i>Signature</i>			Dated: May 1, 2004
M. Robert Kestenbaum Reg. No. 20,430 11011 Bermuda Dunes NE Albuquerque, NM USA 87111 Phone (505) 323-0771 Fax (505) 323-0865 2004 HGBREH1 00000098 09402731			<div>I certify that this document and fee is being deposited on _____ with the U.S. Postal Service as first class mail under 37 C.F.R. 1.8 and is addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.</div> <div style="border-top: 1px solid black; margin-top: 10px;"><i>Signature of Person Mailing Correspondence</i></div> <div style="border-top: 1px solid black; margin-top: 10px;">Typed or Printed Name of Person Mailing Correspondence</div>
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cc: Submitted by fax on 5/1/2004 to (703) 872-9303 Note: 1st Month Extension Fee Paid on 2/18/2004			